In Friday's and Monday's Games-Our Boys Outplayed Chester in Yesterday's Game.

Sumter on Friday afternoon. Our ing means that the suffrage laws of boys worked hard, but somehow they claimed by the attorneys for the decould not hit Cowell, the Sumpterpit- fendant that Franklin was not grantcher, who struck out seventeen men. ed a fair trial and that the selection day's game:

ORANGEBURG.

Miller, 3b. .4 0 Callihan, rf. . . 4 1 Moran, 1b. . . . 4 1 15 0 Prim, lf. . 0 0 Sawyer, lf. . . . 2 0 Glaze, cf. . . . 4 0 Morris, 2b. . . . 4 0 Hartsell, ss. . . 3 0 McCormick, c. .3 Jones,p. 3 0 Averett. Samuels. 1 0 0 .35 2 7 27 18 Totals. . . SUMTER.

AB R 1B PO A

Springs, cf. . . . 3 Sorrell, 3b. . . . 4 1 3 Murrow, 1b. . . 4 1 Wells, rf. 4 1 Asbury, lf. . . . 4 1 0 1 Stephens, c. . . . 4 0 1 17 3 Cowell, p. 4 1 0 0 2

Dingle.ss. 3 0

Wynne, 2b. . . . 3 1

Totals. . . *Out on tthird bunt.

Summary: Earned runs, Sumter Sorrell, Wells 2. Bases on balls, base hits, Sorrell. Bases on balls, off Cowell 1; Jones 2. Left on bases, Sumter 3; Orangeburg 8. Wild pitches, Jones 1. Struck out by Cowell 17; by Jones 5. Double plays, Morris to Hartsell to Moran. Passed balls, Cormick. Umpire, Miller. Scorer, Kohn.

Monday's Game.

Monday afternoon Chester played scored. In that inning a wild throw by Miller from third to first base allowed Chester not only to score one man, but to advance two others to second and third bases. A lucky hit scored two more men, and then Chester was retired. Things now looked blue for Orangeburg, but our boys pulled together and succeeded in scoring one before she was retired. This tied the score and neither club Miss Ethel Smith won the medal. scored after the sixth inning. At the club having made three runs.

day's game:

ORANGEBURG. Miller, 3b. . . . 4 0 0 1 2 Callihan, rf. . .4 0 1 Moran, 1b. . . . 4 1 1 10 1 Prim, If. 4 1 0 Glaze, cf. 4 0 Morris, 2b. . . . 3 0 1 2 3 Hartsell, ss. . . . 3 0 1 2 3 Stutevent, c. . . 3 0 0 3 0 Samuels, p. . . . 2 1 0 *Sawyer. 1 0 0 0 0 **Averett. . . . 1 0 0 0 0

*Sawyer bats for Morris in 9th inning. Averett bats for Hartsell in 9th

Totals. . . . 33 3 7 27 12 2

inning.

CHESTER. AB R 1B PO A E

Drake, 2b. . . . 4 0 2 0 Fuschman, ss. . . 3 0 Miller, c. 4 0 0 14 1 Hammond, 3b. .3 0 0 0 1 Newman, rf. . . . 4 1 1 0 0 Forbes, If. . . . 3 1 0 2 0 Davis, cf. 4 1 1 5 0 Beil, p. 3 0 1 1 0

*Prim out cutting 3rd base. ,Summary: Earned runs, Chester 1; Orangeburg 2. Two base hits, Glaze. Three base hits, Prim, Davis. Bases on balls, off Samuels 1; off Beil 1. Left on bases, Orangeburg 4; Chespire, Henerick.

without having his attention called tinued." to it by the other side. Had Prim touched the base Orangeburg would have won the game. Prim stepped players, so Prim is excusable. He is from the Orangeburg District to the Orangeburg by stealing home on a District Conference at Branchville desperate chance. All things consid- last week. The conference was roythe Orangeburg boys did well. They ally entertained by the good people certainly outplayed Chester, and we of Branchville, who never do things believe they will win this evening if by halves. the fans will stand up to them as they should. Go out this faternoon and you will see a good game, but be

whoop the boys up. is perfectly fair in his decisions. PINK FRANKLIN CASE.

An Appeal Taken to the United States Court.

The State says the case of Pink Franklin, the negro tried and convicted of murder, will be taken to the United States Court. Tuesday Moorer and Adams, the negro attorneys representing the defendant, obtained from Col. U. R. Brooks, the clerk of the supseme court, the certi-Orangeburg lost another game to fied copies in the case and the hear-South Carolina will be tested. It is The following is the score of Fri- of jurors was in violation of the constitution of the United States.

Franklin was charged with the AB R 1B PO A E killing of a constable and on tiral 1 was convicted and sentenced to be 0 hung. He was captured shortly after 1 the homicide and was carried direct 0 to the penitentiary, the feeling in 0 the neighborhood being such that a lynching was feared.

He was taken back to Orangeburg at the convening of the September 0 term of sessions court, and there placed on trial for murder, Moorer & 0 Adams defending him and made the same pleas upon which the case now goes to the United States supreme court, but were overruled by the circuit judge presiding; but Franklin was convicted and was sentenced to be hanged October 25, 1907. (His Willian. wife, by the way, was tried with him, but acquitted.)

Moorer and Adams then appealed to the State supreme court, and this 0 appeal of course stayed the execution. The supreme court affirmed 1 the decision of the lower court handing down its decision March 17th last, but Chief Justice Pope on March .33 6 7 26* 5 4 20th stayed the remittitur, upon notice from Franklin's attorneys that a writ of error to the United States su-2; Orangeburg 1. Two base hits, preme court was in course of preparation.

The stay of remittitur of course operated to prevent Franklin's being resentenced and executed. The papers in the case were Thursday transmitted to the court in Washington, as before stated, and the case will McCormick, 2. Hit by pitcher, Mc- now remain as it is until the hearing comes on at Washington on the writ of error. At this hearing Moorer and Adams will represent Franklin and the State will probably be reher first game in Orangeburg. Up presented by Solicitor P. T. Hildeto the fourth inning neither club brand, who is the State's attorney of record.

O. C. I. COMMENCEMENT.

Closing Exercises Will Begin on Next Sunday Morning.

On last Friday evening, the class of three young ladies of the Colle-In the fifth inning Chester failed to giate Institute gave the graduating score, but Orangeburg chalked up recital in voice at the college buildanother run. In the sixth inning ing. The class was composed of Chester was retired without making Misses Rena and Ethel Smith and a score. Orangeburg batted Beil pret- Miss Annie Ulmer. Several choice ty freely and got two more men over pieces was rendered by each of the the home plate, but Prim cut third young ladies which was enjoyed by and was called out by the umpire, a large and appreciative audience.

On this evening in the college end of the ninth inning the umpice building, Miss Bessie Ayers will give called the game on account of dark- a piano recital, when she will receive ness, and so it ended in a tie, each her diploma in music. On Sunday morning the Baccalaurate sermon The following is the score of Mon- will be preached at the Baptist church. Sunday night a special sermon will be delivered to the Y. M. AB R 1B PO A E C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. The grad-sist with the program. i uation exercises will be held in the 0 College Auditorium on Monday ezee ning The public is invited to attend 9 all these exercises.

BIG FISH FRY.

An Enjoyable Day Spent Down on the

Edisto River.

by about 300 citizens of this town tors were met at the trains and conand county, was given Friday about ducted to the homes of their hostessseven miles down the Edisto River. es where they were cordially wel-Of course, the candidates were on comed. hand-many of them, the guest of honor being the Hon. John Gary Methodist Church, and addresses of Evans, of Spartanburg. The Hon. welcome were made by their pastor, Panks L. Caughman, candidate for railroad commissioner, was also pres- wick, of the Woman's Foreign Misent. A majority of the candidates for offices in this county were in Tatum of the juvenile society, which hand, besides a number of prominent 0 citizens without political aspirations. There were plenty of fish and other good things to eat. While the candidates did a lot of handshaking, there were no political speeches, several visitors merely expressing their ap- meeting. She also read a very inpreciation of the delightful time given them.

The Shoofly Train.

The Florence Times says: "None of the railroad men here know any- talk on missionary work. ter 5. Wild pitches, Samuels 2; Beil thing about the rumor that the com-1. Struck out, Samuels 2; Beil 13. pany intends to discontinue the Or-Double Plays, Hartsell to Morris to angeburg-Lanes train in the near fu-Moran. Hit by pitcher, Forbes. Um- ture on the ground that it is not from coming sent their reports which paying. A Times man made inquiry Miller's wild throw was caused by to this effect Saturday morning. It Mrs. A. S. Jennings, who is also the a game arm he is nursing. It lost is understood that the train is to be efficient President of the Woman's Orangeburg the game, but under the given a fair trial for six months and Foreign Missionary Society at Cope. circumstances Miller was hardly to after the time if the Coast Line is blame. Prim's cutting third base was not noticed by the Chester players, the Railroad Commission that it realwhich is the first time we have ever ly does not pay before the commis- and a resolution of thanks was tenknown an umpire to do such a thing sion will submit to it being discon-

Delegates to Annual Conference.

Messrs. I. W. Bowman, A. W over the base instead of on it. Such Summers, O. B. Riley and D. L. things will happen to the very best Rhoad were elected lay delegates all right. He made the first run for South Carolina Conference by the

Mad Dogs Killed.

Saturday afternoon two mad dogs services. sure and leave your hammersat at were killed on Amelia street in the sure and leave your hammer at neighborhood of the Lutheran home. With a little encouragement Church. There were quite a number Chester has a good team but Orange- of children right in the ivcinity burg has a better one. So go out and where the dogs were billed. It was

PROGRAM IN DETAIL

OF THE ORANGEBURG COUNTY BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

Convention, Which Will Be Held at the Ebenezer School at Cardova on

May 21, 22 and 23. The following interesting program has been arranged for the Orangeburg County Baptist Sunday School Convention which will meet with the Ebenezer Sunday School on Thursday

next and continue through Friday and Saturday: Program.

Thursday, May 21, 1908 Morning Session. 10.00-Opening exercises conducted by the President. 11.15-Enrollment of delegates. 10.45-Organization of Conven-

ion: Election of Officers. 11.00-Address of welcome and esponse.

11.30-Sermon, Rev. B. M. Fore-

12.00-Business.

Adjournment for dinner. Afternoon Session. 2.00-Devotional exercises. 2.15-Business.

2:30-The Cradle Roll, Mrs. W. W. 3.00-The Primary Department,

Mrs. John B. White. 3.30-The Adult Classes, Rev. E M. Lightfoot.

4.00-The Home Department, Rev W. W. Willian. Adjournment.

Friday, May 22, 1908. Morning Session. 9.30-Devotional exercises. 10.00-The Pastor and his Sunday School, J. P. Smoak.

10.30-Evangelism and the Young, Rev. J. A. Campbell. 11.00-The Teacher, Prof. S. R.

Mellichamp. 11.30-Reports from Schools: Discussion of methods, etc.

1200-Business. Adjournment for dinner. Afternoon Session.

2.00-Devotional Exercise. 2.15—Business. 2.30-Grading in the Sunday

School, Rev. E. M. Lightfoot. 3.00-Honors and Rewards in the Sunday School, Rev. W. W. Willian. Smith and Jamie Butler. 3.30--The Sunday School and Its Relation to the Church, Rev. J. W.

Kenney. 4.00-The Sunday School and Christian Citizenship, J. A. Merritt. Saturday, May 23, 1908.

Morning Session. 9.30-Devotional Exercises. 10.00-Some difficulties which confront a Country Church in maintaining a Sunday School and how to meet

them, Rev. J. W. Kenney. 10.30-Value of the Sunday School to the Church, Rev. E. H. Graves. 11.30-Open Conference, Opening nuestion box.

Business. Adjournment.

Delegates will please send their names to Mr. J. P. Smoak, Cardova, S. C. at once.

Schools are entitled to three delegates each. Pastors and Superintendents are delegates at large. It is hoped that Field Secretary

Rev. J. D. Moore will attend to as-

INTERESTING MEETING

Of the Woman's Foreign Missionary

Society at Cope.

The district meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was held at Cope on the 8th, 9th and 10th of A big fish fry, which was attended this month. The delegates and visi-

> The meetings were held at the Rev. L. E. Wiggins, Mrs. J. B. Traysionary Society and Miss Carrie May were responded to by Mrs. M. D. Wightman and Mrs. E. S. Herbert. Mrs. Wightman presided at the meeting with her usual ease and dignity. Miss May Wannamaker of St. Matthews was elected secretary of the teresting paper on Korea. Mrs. J. W. Mumbert, who is just back from a meeting of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions, which met in New Orleans, gave us a very instructive

> The delegates who were present read encouraging reports from their societies; those who were prevented were read by the District Secretary,

> Our Presiding Elder, Rev. C. B. The meeting closed on Sunday night for the many acts of kindness shown E. Mc.

> > Revival Services.

Rev. J. W. Speak, Evangelist of the South Carolina Conference, began a series of revival meetings at St. morning. The meeting will continue about two weeks. There will be two services each day, one in the afternoon at five o'clock, the other at 8:30 o'clock in the evening. The hours have been conveniently arranged and all are cordially invited to attend the

Very Fine Rain.

Orangeburg was visited by a very fine refreshing rain on Sunday afternoon and night, which we hope visreported that one of the dogs bit a lited every section of the county. The Umpire Hemrick is all right. He colored child, which we hope is not crops were needing moisture and this perfectly fair in his decisions.

SCHOOL CLOSING.

The Closing Exercises of the Sandy

Run School. The closing exercises of Sandy Run School, near Eutawville, took place on Friday evening May 8th, and was

quite interesting. A large crowd was present and enjoyed a delightful evening. Miss S. B. Colclough, the teacher, deserves much credit for the nicely gotten up program and the way in

which the children conducted themselves. It showed that they had Leen thoroughly trained and reflects much credit on the school. The prizes for the year were won

by little Eunice Shingler for Faithfulness, and Master Frank Martin for the most improved scholar. So you can see what little folks, if they but try, can do.

Following is the program of the evening:

Prayer, by Mr. L. N. Shingler. Drill, by 18 member of the school. Mother Goose Wax Works Tableau-"Little Husband" by Audrey Winter.

Mother Goose Organ, by 8 mem-

Eunice Shingler. Dialogue, Old Bachelor, by Adair Dantzler and Annie Lou Smith.

The little man gun, by Frank Dantzler. Pantomine, Jack and Jill, by Elou

Butler and Kirby Smith. Song. Swanee River, by school. Recitation. Tommie Tucker, by Jilmore Martin. Song, Down on the Farm, by the

school Dialogue, Five Little Girls, by Hermine Smith, Audrey Winter, Loriel

Shingler. Reritation, Lesson in Cookery, by Eva Shingler.

Recitation, What's In a Name, by Annie Lou Smith. Star Drill, by sixteen members. Doll show, sy 7 girls and 2 boys.

Adair Dantzler, Eva Shingler. Recitation, Washerwoman Song, by Janie Butler.

Recitation, Misimportance, by Ellori Butler.

Recitation, Jim Brown's, sister's wedding, by Della Butler. Tableau, Little Miss Muffet, by

Hermine Smith. Dialogue, "Old Maids Association" "Winks." by 12 members.

BAPTIST UNION MEETING.

An Interesting Program Arranged fo the Occasion. The Union of the First Division of

the Orangeburg Association will be ing. held with the Gethsemane Baptist Church Saturday and Sunday, May 30th and 31st.

SATURDAY. 10.00 A. M. Devotional Exercises, Rev. E. H. Graves.

Discussion 1. The claims of our denominational paper, T. H. Heape. Macon, Ga., Telegraph of last Sat-Discussion 2. The Christian's duty urday: owards Giving, J. A. Merritt.

Rev. F. M. Hauser. its relation to the church and com-

munity, M. M. Metts.

Meeting. Missionary Sermon, Rev. W. W. William. Ordination of Deacons, Gethsemane

Church. Delegates by rail will be met at St. Matthews by Rev. F. M. Hauser. Please notify him at that point.

Committee.

Short Locals.

Muzzle the dogs and save the chil-

Robert Jewett, a respected colored citizen and brick mason died at his residence in this city on Friday. The closing exercises of the Orangeburg Graded School will take

place on Thursday and Friday evenings. All are invited to attend. The closing exercises, consisting of a play, drills, songs and recitations, to Philadelphia to engage in broader will take place at Cedar Grove School mission work.

on Friday evening. The public are cordially invited. Don't forget the entertainment at T. R. McCant's gin house on Friday evening. The admission has been of Louisiana. fixed at 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. Be sure and go

to see the play. Mr. Thos. Salley aunounces himself for re-election as cotton weigher for the City of Orangeburg. He has Prof. B. L. Cogburn and his assistheld this position for the past two ants, Miss Bell Simrell and Miss friends for re-election.

The Times and Democrat is inan invitation to the graduating exercises of the Oangeburg Graded dered the hospitable people of Cope School. Our young friend is a memner of the graduating dass.

Death of an Infant.

Jennie Mae, the little infant of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Inabinet of Woodford, died on Wednesday afternoon last after a short illness. She was Paul's Methodist Church on Sunday only eleven months old. Her parents have the consolation of knowing that she is safe in the arms of Jesus. The sympathy of the entire community go out to the bereaved parents.

Gone to Rest.

Friday at the residence of her son, Mr. J. S. Bozard, on the Five Notch will meet with great success Road a few miles from this city. Mrs. Bozard was a most excellent lady, and was for many years a member

DRINK MORE WATER.

MOST PEOPLE DRINK ENTIRELY TOO LITTLE.

the Water Cure a Trial.

One of the most universal dietetic failings is to neglect to take enough liver as express matter for hire, for water into the system. When one patrons of their routes, unmailable stops to think of the many functions which water has to perform in the of four pounds. An example of the body, the need of a large supply is abuse of this privilege is that of a Frenchman, who found his enjoyment realized. The uses of water in the merchant who sent out by rural car-

medium so that nourishment may be to avoid paying postage so that the taken to all parts of the body and carrier might carry the package for the waste removed, and this causes hire. rapid changes in the tissues.

2. It enters into the composition of all tissues of the body.

Milk Maid, by Audrey Winter and tains their proper degree of dilution. and in case it is found that extraneous of the body.

the body by the process of absorption making such package matter numaliand evaporation. It is estimated that water · com-

universal solvent. Its importance, should not receive any mail matter therefore to the system cannot be overrated.

hours is on an average between sixty- to. Butler, Eunice Dantzler and Eunice five and seventy ounces, besides bout twenty ounces taken in as an ingredient of solid food, thus making a total of eighty-five to ninety

ounces. A great many people leading sedentary lives take too little water, and also err in taking it for the most Dialogue, hypotism. by Norman part when eating. A certain amount Smith, Janie Butler, Kirby Smith, a water should form a part of every meal, and particularly is it necessary to those who have very active digestions.

It assists the escape from the more Martin, Adair Dantzler, Kirby stomach, and will oftentimes make tress.

bulk of fluid is between meals, par-

DEATH OF A LADY

of Orangeburg.

We ci'p the following from the

Mrs. Mary Johnson Brantley, wife Discussion 3. What is our present of Mr. Frank B. Brantley, died in need or duty as to the liquor traffic, Philadelphia, May 14th, at the residence of the latter's cousin, Mrs. Discussion 4. The Sunday School: Mary O. Burkest, 1951 N. Marshall street, after an illness of six months.

Mrs. Brantley was pora in Rome, Ga. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles was a child, she came to Macon, and was reared by her sister, the late Mrs. J. D. Carner, and graduated from Wesleyan college.

ley was a devout member of the First practically sure to follow. Baptist Church and a teacher in the Sabbath school. She was married to Mr. F. B. Brantley, a son of the late Wm. S. Brantley, on April 28, 1886. Several years ago while living in South Carolina, Mrs. Brantley offered herself with her husband as a mis-

sionary to the foreign field, but on

account of a slight defect in Mr. Brantley's hearing the application was declined. Mrs. Brantley was a consecrated Christian of a self-sacrificing nature, and greatly assisting her husband in stated that \$50,000, had been ap-

She leaves besides her husband a son, Eugene Carter Brantley, and two lotte, N. C., and Waletr M. Johnson,

Norway School Closes.

The Norway graded school has

closed a most prosperous and successful term under the principalship of years and will be supported by many Maude Finch. Much interest has been manifested by the patrons of the school. The pupils have done exdebted to Mr. Theo. A. Jeffords for cellent work, which reflects credit tees have selected all the teachers for another term and they have accepted. With the present standard the efficiency for the fall term bids fair to do greater work. There is a movement on foot to secure a high

> New Millinery Store. Mr. John C. Pike, Jr. has opened a

millinery store on Russell street, in words will be used as a city slogan of the building recently occupied by publicity. Felder, Weeks & Co. Mr. Pike was manager of J. C. Pike, Jr., incorporated, dry goods and millinery, which business was destroyed by fire several at large without being muzzled. There months ago. Mr. Pike has just re- are too many mad dogs abroad, and late John L. Bozard passed away on turned from the North, where he pursomething must be done to check chased his stock. We hope Mr. Pike the spread of hydropnobia. Govern-Sumter Beats Rock Hill.

Sumter beat Rock Hill yesterday

WARNING TO POSTMASTERS.

Merchants Resort to Tricks to Have Their Packages Delivered.

Information having reached the Postoffice Department of certain methods by which the postal laws in regard to the mailable and unmail-It Should Be Taken Chiefly Between able merchandise on rural routes Meals and Not While Eating-Give have been evaded, Fourth Assistant Postmaster Degraw has taken steps to prevent future evasions.

Rural carriers are permitted to demerchandise and packages of mailable merchandise weighing in excess body may be summarized as follows: rier as extra matter a pair of shoes to which he added a bag of salt to It furnishes the blood with a fluid make the package overweight and

In view of such abuses, Mr. Degraw has issued the following statement: "All packages of merchandise to be sent out by rural carriers 3. It forms the chief ingredient of by merchants of the town should be all the fluids of the body and main- presented at postoffice for inspection 4. It serves to distribute the heat matter not ordered by the patrons has been added to any mailable mat-5. It regulates the temperature of ter or package for the purpose of able, postmasters should refuse to permit the carrier to carry any such poses about 70 per cent of the entire matter or package for hire outside body weight, and it is an almost of the mails, and rural carriers from patrons as unmailable matter for hire which they suspect has been The amount of water required by made unmailable by such devices as healthy individual in twenty-four adopted by the merchant referred to

CURFEW LAW IN FORCE.

The Bell Should Ring the Boys Off play went on.-Lippincott's.

As we stated last week the curfew

the Street.

law, which was recently passed by the city council, is now in operation dark pines for a picture he had planand will be the means of keeping many young boys off the streets at the time when they should be at the figure of an old colored woman in stomach of those substances made home. Unless accompanied by par-Dialogue, Nigger Night School, by soluble by the action of the gastric ent or guardian, or for some good Norman Smith, Floyd Dantzler, Gil- juice and the churning effect of the reason, children under the age of 14 years of age will not hereafter be digestion comfortable when it other- allowed on the streets after 10 o'clock Tableau, Sincelia, by Jennie Smith. wise would be attended with dis- at night. The ordinance provides for the arrest and imprisonment of all While some liquid should be taken violators, and it is also deemed a with the meals, the foods should not misdemeanor for any parent or guarbe washed down, for this interferes dian to allow children under the with digestion (especially starch specified age to be on the streets or digestion), and may also cause the in any of the public places of the individual to swallow morsels of food city after 10 o'clock. The new law altogether too large and resisting for meets with the hearty endorsement the stomach to manage comfortably, of the parents, particularly those The proper time for taking the who have sons that are inclined to be somewhat wild. It would be a good ticularly early in the morning before idea to have a bell to ring the hour. breakfast, and at night before retire so as the boys will know when their time is up.

MUCH CONCERN FELT.

Who Had Many Friends in the City Ordinary Methods for Treating Catarrh Prove Unsuccessful.

> Written statistics that show an increase in cartarrh have shaken confidence in the usual prescriptions to human health from the

When stomach dosing was proven ineffective, it was natural to look for some other treatment, and it is believed that in Hyomei an absolute cure for all catarrhal troubles has at 10.00 A. M. Sanday School Mass W. Johnson having died when she last been found. Inhaled with the air you breathe, its healing medication reaches every part of the nose and throat, and soothes the irrited mucous membrane so that relief is almost instant, while lasting cure is

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1.00, and is sold by J. G. Wannamaker Mfg. Co. under an absolute agreement to refund the

money if it does not give satisfaction.

Orangeburg's Public Building. It seems to be a settled fact that Orangeburg is to have a handsome public building. This pleasing news was communicated to President Jennings of the Business Men's League by a telegram from Congressman Lever on Thursday evening which missionary work. In 1894 they moved propriated for the building at Orangebury. Congressman Lever is entitled to the thanks of the people of this city for the interest he took in the matter and for finally getting the brothers, Wm. W. Johnson, of Char- appropriation for the building. It is much needed. Several other towns in the State also got public buildings.

Beautifying the Railways.

In the west there is a growing appreciation of the movement to beautify the steel highways, a movement now in popular favor and under full swing on the Atlantic coast. Both steam and electric lines in Los Angeles are each year giving the matter more time and attention. It is a highly contagious work, for it stimulates both towns and rural districts to clean up and plant upon the school. The board of trus- streets and highways as well as to improve private places. We shall yet see the day when all railway embankments will be permanently planted with suitable shrubbery.

> Business men of Emporia, Kan., are offering a reward of \$100 to the Kansas editor who will write the best ten words about Emporia. The winning

Reward For Ten Words.

Muzzle the Dogs. No dog should be allowed to run

ment experts say the only way to do worked. it is to muzzle the dogs, and this should be done. The City Council should take the matter up at once afternoon by a score of two to one and pass an ordinance requiring all

MAY CAUSE A SMILE

A COLUMN OF LIGHT READING THAT WILL BE ENJOYED

By All Who Like to Read Funny

and Witty Savings from the Mag-

In the early days of the last cen-

azines and Papers. The Play Went On.

tury Thomas Hill, a great-uncle of the late Thomas Hill, president of Harvard university, was occupying an end seat in a theater at Jersey City. Directly in front of him sat a diminutive of the play greatly diminished by the fact that an overgrown man in front of him persisted in wearing a tall silk hat. He tried to look around the hat and over the burly shoulders, but only to his discomfiture. Finally he tapped the man on the arm, saying, "Eff you please, sare, would you be kind enough to take off your hat?" No attention was paid to this protest, and he reiterated his request. Still the big man paid no heed. Mr. Hill's attention was attracted, and, taking his cane, he knocked the silk hat off into the aisle. Instantly the man, his face red with wrath, rose to his feet and began to pull off his coat. The audience also ose, expecting to see a fight. The May stopped, the actors crowding to the front of the stage. Mr. Hill deliberately stood up, displaying his six feet two inches of height and his magnificent proportions, and said in a clear voice heard all over the theater, "My name is Thomas Hill, tunner. If you wish satisfaction, come to my office

An Ideal Sitter.

A Washington artist, while sketching in North Carolina, was one day in search of a suitable background of ned. At last he found the precise situation he was seeking, and, best of all, there chanced to be a pretty detail in the foreground. The artist asked the old woman to

remain seated until he had sketched

her. She assented with the greatest

good nature, but in a few minutes

asked how long the artist would be.

tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Here

is my card." The other slunk out of

the house. Then Hill, with a sweeping

gesture, exclaimed in a stentorian

voice, "The play may go on." And the

"Oh, only about a quarter of an hour, he answered. Three minutes or so later the old darky again inquired-this time with manifest anxiety-how long the opera-

tion of sketching would take. "Not long," was the reassuring re-"But why do you ask so anxiousply. "Oh, nuthin', sah," the old woman hastened to respond, "only I's sittin' on an ant hill, sah." - Judge's Library.

Doing His Best.

Two leading attorneys of Memphis, warm friends for years, happened to be opposing counsel in a case. The older was a man of magnificent physique, about six feet four and built in proportion, while the younger was barely five feet and weighed not more than ninety pounds.

In the course of his argument the

big man unwittingly made some remark that aroused the ire of his adversary. A moment later he felt a tugging at his coattails. Looking down, he was astonished to see his opponent wildly gesticulating and dancing around him.

"What on earth are you trying to do there?" be asked. "By Gawd, suh, I'm fighting, suh!"-Everybody's.

In a southern federal court an old colored man was on trial, charged with running an illicit still.

The Other Joshua.

"What is your name, sir?" asked the district attorney. "Josh Hicks, sah." "Are you the Joshua that made the

sun stand still?" "No, sah. I's de Joshua dat made de moon shine."

They Were Quits. A city fellow while hunting went out into the country one day and lost his way, and as he was standing by a crossroad he saw a farmer a little way off. He walked over to the farmer and said, "Say, Pat, which road leads to the station?" "How do you know my name is Pat?" asked the farmer. "I guessed it," said the fellow. "Well." replied the farmer, "then guess the way to the station."-Judge's

Library.

When a man falls to keep an appointment, infer that you are seeking the favor, not he. When you hear an American lauding

the institutions and customs of Europe

and speaking slightingly of the United

States, infer that he will never be president. When you hear a man "dearing" and "darlinging" his wife in public, infer that he "damns" her at home.

female rights, infer that she doesn't understand the meaning of household duties. When you hear a spinster gushing over the many offers of marriage she

When a woman prattles much about

has rejected, infer that she will snap at the first fellow who comes along. When a critic is unjustly severe in ondemning a literary production, infer that it has wounded his pride, vanity

When a magazine returns a voluntary contribution, infer that the editor knows what he wants and you don't. When an acquaintance invites you to

or self interest.

take a drink infer that he expects you to treat back When it is teld about the clubs that you are the most popular poker player, infer that you are losing all the money. When a man flatters you, infer that he takes you for a fool who is easily

When an acquaintance whispers softly in your ear some dark secret, infer that he has spread it all over town. When you lose your job, infer that it

friend.-New York Press.

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